



CERTIFICATE OF MAILING PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.8
 I hereby certify that the enclosed papers are being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage addressed to BOX RCE, Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on December 18, 2002, in Menlo Park, CA.

Ng Miller

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of

Barnett et al.

For: **POLYNUCLEOTIDES ENCODING
 ANTIGENIC HIV TYPE C
 POLYPEPTIDES, POLYPEPTIDES
 AND USES THEREOF**

Serial No.: 09/610,313

Filed: July 5, 2000

Atty. Docket No.: PP01631.101 (2302-1631.20)

) Examiner: Brian A. Whiteman

) Group Art Unit: 1635

) Confirmation No.: 4221

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED
 EXAMINATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.114**

RECEIVED
 (3)
 JAN 02 2003
 TECH CENTER 1600/2900

BOX RCE
 Commissioner for Patents
 Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is a request for continued examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

a. /X/ Previously submitted

i. /X/ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on October 18, 2002 (any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).

ii. / / Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on *.

b. /X/ Enclosed

i. /X/ Amendment and Information Disclosure Statement

ii. /X/ Form PTO-1449

iii. /X/ 23 Sheets of Formal Drawings

iv. /X/ Copy of Declaration Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.132 of John J. Donnelly, Ph.D. as filed on December 17, 2002, in prior application Serial No. 09/475,704, filed December 30, 1999

12/31/2002 CV0111 00000071 09610313

01 FC:1801
 02 FC:1253

740.00 GP
 920.00 GP

2. Miscellaneous

- a. ☐/ ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of ____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)
- b. ☐/ ☐ Other _____.

3. Filing Fee

Description	Claims	Extra	Rate	Fee Code	Fee
Basic Filing Fee				1801	\$740
Independent Claims	2 - 2 =	0 x	\$84 =	1202	0
Total Claims	50 - 50 =	0 x	\$18 =	1203	0

Filing Fee \$740

4. Extension of Time Applicants hereby request a three month extension of time from 8/18/02 to 12/18/02. Fee Code 1253. \$920
- Total Fees Due..... \$1,660**

5. Payment of Fees

- ☒/ ☐ Enclosed is a check for the total fees due in the amount of \$1,660.
- ☒/ ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees and to credit any overpayment of fees which may be required under 37 CFR §1.16, §1.17 or §1.21, to Deposit Account No. 18-1648, referencing Atty. Docket No. 2302-1631.20.

5. Address all future communications to:

Chiron Corporation
Intellectual Property - R440
P.O. Box 8097
Emeryville, CA 94662-8097
Telephone: (510) 655-8730
Facsimile: (510) 655-3542

6. Other documents enclosed herewith:

- ☒/ ☐ Return Receipt Postcard.
- ☐/ ☐ Other (Specify: _____).

Respectfully submitted,

By: _____

Dahna S. Pasternak
Registration No. 41,411

Chiron Corporation
Intellectual Property - R440
P. O. Box 8097
Emeryville, CA 94662-8097
Telephone: (510) 655-8730
Facsimile: (510) 655-3542

S:\2302\1631\20\rce.doc

RECEIVED
JAN 02 2003
TECH CENTER 1600/2900

AF
1633
#14

PATENT

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.8

I hereby certify that these papers are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage addressed to BOX AF, Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on 10/18/02 in Menlo Park, CA.

Ng Miller



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

TECH CENTER 1500/2900

OCT 25 2002

RECEIVED

In Re the Application of
BARNETT et al.

For: **POLYNUCLEOTIDES ENCODING
ANTIGENIC HIV TYPE C POLYPEPTIDE,
POLYPEPTIDES AND USES THEREOF**

Serial No.: 09/610,313

Filed: July 5, 2000

Atty. Docket No.: PP01631.101 (2302-1631.20)

) Examiner: B. Whiteman
)
) Group Art Unit: 1633
)
) Confirmation No.: 4221
)
)
)

TRANSMITTAL

BOX AF
Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

1. Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application is an Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.116, 23 Sheets of Formal Drawings, and a Return Receipt Postcard.
2. Claim Fee Calculation
X No additional claim fee is required.
_____ Amendment increases number of claims or multiple dependencies.
3. Applicants request an extension of time for one month
from 9/18/02 to 10/18/02. Fee Code **1251**.....\$110.
3. Payment of Fees
X Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$110.
X The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees and to credit any overpayment of fees which may be required under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 or §1.17, or §1.21, to Deposit Account No 18-1648, referencing Docket No. 2302-1631.20. A **duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.**

10/24/2002 AWONDAF1 00000084 09610313

01 FC:1251

110.00 DP

By: *Dahna S. Pasternak*

Dahna S. Pasternak

Registration No. 41,411

Robins & Pasternak LLP
545 Middlefield Rd., Ste. 180
Menlo Park, CA 94025
Tel.: (650) 325-7812
Fax: (650) 325-7823